



Practice Transformation Network (PTN)

PTN Behavioral Health Integration

Description

As part of your current transformation work, behavioral health integration specialists are available to assist your PTN Coach implement and refine new practice routines focused on identifying and addressing behavioral health conditions within your practice population. Behavioral Health Integration (BHI) services provide the support needed to choose the model(s) of integration best suited to the practice site.

Why would you be interested in BHI support?

- Early detection and treatment of common behavioral health conditions
- Free-up providers to see additional patients while a behavioral health consultant helps your team
- Reduce provider challenges with difficult behavioral health patient presentations
- Improved outcomes with behavioral health and substance use conditions

What would BHI support look like in my practice?

- BHI Specialists will work with you and your PTN coach to provide technical assistance and support to providers and clinical staff to promote best practices for care coordination and patient co-management workflows within multidisciplinary patient care teams.
- BHI Specialists are subject matter experts in evidenced-based models and approaches and can assist you in choosing the right model of behavioral health integration for your practice.
- The BHI focus will support and complement you practice's movement through the five phases of PTN transformation.

What can you expect to receive?

- Assessment to track progress longitudinally, billing and coding support, implementation of screening routines (i.e. depression, anxiety, or substance use) and/or the more extensive activities of assisting a practice interested in incorporating on-site behavioral health services into its practice.
- Online training tools for staff and onsite training and coaching for all staff involved
- Regular implementation meetings integrated with your overall PTN project to support implementation of BHI
- Practice participation in learning collaboratives with similar practices

Your PTN coach:

Your PTN BHI Specialist: